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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q79015

PELLETIER, Jerry, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/025,222

Group Art Unit: 1656

Confirmation No.: 4998

Examiner: D.J. Steadman

Filed: December 19, 2001

For: FRAGMENTS AND VARIANTS OF STAPHYLOCOCCUS AUREUS DNAG
PRIMASE, AND USES THEREOF

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please review and enter the following remarks summarizing the interview conducted on
December 20, 2005:

REMARKS

An Examiner's Interview Summary Record (PTO-413) was attached with the Office
communication dated December 29, 2005.

During the interview, the following was discussed:

1. Brief description of exhibits or demonstration: draft Amendment in response to
Office Action dated June 28, 2005.
2. Identification of claims discussed: 66, 72, 88, 91, 105, 106
3. Identification of art discussed: none
4. Identification of principal proposed amendments: cancellation of recitation of
polypeptides have regions with different degrees of homology.

5. Brief Identification of principal arguments: in view of proposed amendments, claims would have adequate written description support.

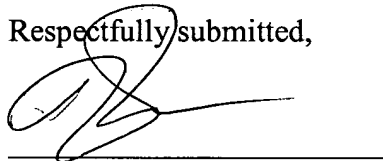
6. Indication of other pertinent matters discussed: addition of method claims.

7. Results of Interview: Examiner promised to fully consider the amendments and the arguments.

It is respectfully submitted that the instant STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW complies with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§1.2 and 1.133 and MPEP §713.04.

It is believed that no petition or fee is required. However, if the USPTO deems otherwise, Applicant hereby petitions for any extension of time which may be required to maintain the pendency of this case, and any required fee, except for the Issue Fee, for such extension is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

Respectfully submitted,



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